107TH CONGRESS 1ST SESSION

S. 309

To amend the Elementary and Secondary Education Act of 1965 to specify the purposes for which funds provided under subpart 1 of part A of title I may be used.

IN THE SENATE OF THE UNITED STATES

February 13, 2001

Mrs. Feinstein introduced the following bill; which was read twice and referred to the Committee on Health, Education, Labor, and Pensions

A BILL

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- 1 Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representa-
- 2 tives of the United States of America in Congress assembled,
- 3 SECTION 1. SHORT TITLE.
- 4 This Act may be cited as the "Title I Integrity Act
- 5 of 2001".
- 6 SEC. 2. LIMITATIONS ON FUNDS.
- 7 Subpart 1 of part A of title I (20 U.S.C. 6311 et
- 8 seq.) is amended by inserting after section 1120B (20
- 9 U.S.C. 6323) the following:

1 "SEC. 1120C. LIMITATIONS ON FUNDS.

2	"(a) In General.—Notwithstanding any other pro-
3	vision of this Act, a local educational agency shall use
4	funds received under this subpart only to provide academic
5	instruction and services directly related to the instruction
6	of students in preschool through grade 12 to assist eligible
7	children to improve their academic achievement and to
8	meet achievement standards established by the State.
9	"(b) Permissible and Prohibited Activities.—
10	In this section, the term 'academic instruction'—
11	"(1) includes—
12	"(A) the implementation of instructional
13	interventions and corrective actions to improve
14	student achievement;
15	"(B) the extension of academic instruction
16	beyond the normal school day and year, includ-
17	ing during summer school;
18	"(C) the employment of teachers and other
19	instructional personnel, including providing
20	teachers and instructional personnel with em-
21	ployee benefits;
22	"(D) the provision of instructional services
23	to pre-kindergarten children to prepare such
24	children for the transition to kindergarten;
25	"(E) the purchase of instructional re-
26	sources, such as books, materials, computers,

1	other instructional equipment, and wiring to
2	support instructional equipment;
3	"(F) the development and administration
4	of curricula, educational materials, and assess-
5	ments; and
6	"(G) the transportation of students to as-
7	sist the students in improving academic achieve-
8	ment; and
9	"(2) does not include—
10	"(A) the purchase or lease of privately
11	owned facilities;
12	"(B) the purchase or provision of facilities
13	maintenance, gardening, landscaping, or jani-
14	torial services, or the payment of utility costs;
15	"(C) the construction of facilities;
16	"(D) the acquisition of real property;
17	"(E) the payment of costs for food and re-
18	freshments;
19	"(F) the payment of travel and attendance
20	costs at conferences or other meetings; or
21	"(G) the purchase or lease of vehicles.".